STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

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In 2006, legislative auditors indicated that it is no longer necessary for small commodity commissions to require two (2) signatures on checking accounts. Current banking practices also do not require two (2) signatures on checks. The Idaho Grape Growers and Wine Producers Commission requires action by the commission to withdraw or pay out of their accounts. These accounts are audited by legislative and independent auditors. In some instances, members of the commission are some distance apart and it is difficult to obtain two (2) signatures. In 2006, the legislature incorporated similar provisions for eliminating dual signatures on checks and required internal accounting controls for the Idaho Mint Commission, Idaho Alfalfa Clover Seed Commission, Idaho Bean Commission and Idaho Canola and Rapeseed Commission by amending Idaho Code Sections 22-3811, 22-4215, 22-2919 and 22-4720 (H0772, H0771, H0774 and H0773).

FISCAL NOTE

There is no fiscal impact to the general fund.

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